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Bulletin: TAXES 05-30, Idaho State Income Tax Withholding

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To: Holders of TAXES (State of Idaho only)

Personnel User Groups

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Beginning with wages paid for Pay Period 13, the National Finance Center (NFC) will make the following changes to the state of Idaho income tax withholdings:

- The exemption allowance will increase from \$3,100 to \$3,200.
- The Single and Married withholding tables will change.
- The nontaxable flexible spending accounts (health care and dependent care) deductions statement will be added to step 2 on the state tax formula.

No action on the part of the employee or the personnel office is necessary.

To view the updated tax formula, go to NFC's Home Page (www.nfc.usda.gov) and click **Pubs & Forms**. Then on the Pubs & Forms page left-hand menu, click **Tax Formulas** and select the appropriate state from the map provided. Changes to the tax formula are identified by "▶ ◄".

For questions about NFC processing, contact the Payroll Operations Branch at **504-255-4630**. Please refer questions about system access and other system-related issues to Customer Support at **504-255-5230** or via e-mail at *customer.support@usda.gov*.

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Idaho State Income Tax Information

State Abbreviation:IDState Tax Withholding State Code:16Acceptable Exemption Form:W-4

Basis For Withholding: State or Federal Exemptions

Acceptable Exemption Data: S, M / Number of Exemptions

TSP Deferred: Yes
Special Coding: None

If the Amount of

Additional Information: If a state income tax certificate has not been processed or if a valid state

exemption code is not present, the Federal exemptions will be used in the

computation of state tax.

Withholding Formula ▶(Effective Pay Period 13, 2005) ◄

1. Subtract the nontaxable biweekly Thrift Savings Plan contribution from the gross biweekly wages.

- 2. Subtract the nontaxable biweekly Federal Health Benefits Plan payment(s) ▶ (includes flexible spending account health care and dependent care deductions) ◄ from the amount computed in step 1.
- **3.** Add the taxable biweekly fringe benefits (taxable life insurance, etc.) to the amount computed in step 2 to obtain the adjusted gross biweekly wages.
- **4.** Multiply the adjusted gross biweekly wages times 26 to obtain the annual wages.
- **5.** Determine the exemption allowance by applying the following guideline and subtract this amount from the annual wages to compute the taxable income.

Exemption Allowance = ▶\$3,200 x Number of Exemptions

6. Apply the taxable income computed in step 5 to the following table to determine the annual Idaho tax withholding.

Tax Withholding Table Single

The Amount of Idaho

Taxable Inc	come Is:	Ta	Tax Withholding Should Be:					
But Not Over: Over:							Of Excess Over:	
\$ 0) \$ ▶1,800	\$	0.00	plus	0.0%	\$	0	
1,800	2,959		0.00	plus	1.6%		1,800	
2,959	4,118		19.00	plus	3.6%		2,959	
4,118	5,27		61.00	plus	4.1%		4,118	
5,277	6,430		109.00	plus	5.1%		5,277	
6,436	7,59		168.00	plus	6.1%		6,436	
7,594	10,492		239.00	plus	7.1%		7,594	
10,492	24,978		445.00	plus	7.4%		10,492	
24,978	and ove		1,517.00	plus	7.8%	:	24,978	

Married

If the Amount of Taxable Income Is:				===:	The Amount of Idaho Tax Withholding Should Be:					
But Not Over: Over:								Of E	xcess r:	
\$	0	\$	▶ 6,800	\$	0.00	plus	0.0%	\$	0	
	6,800		9,118		0.00	plus	1.6%		6,800	
	9,118		11,436		37.00	plus	3.6%		9,118	
	11,436		13,754		120.00	plus	4.1%		11,436	
	13,754		16,072		215.00	plus	5.1%		13,754	
	16,072		18,388		333.00	plus	6.1%		16,072	
	18,388		24,184		474.00	plus	7.1%		18,388	
	24,184		53,156		886.00	plus	7.4%		24,184	
	53,156		and over		3,030.00	plus	7.8%	!	53,156	

^{7.} Divide the annual Idaho tax withholding by 26 and round to the nearest dollar to obtain the biweekly Idaho tax withholding.